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Case No. 5113A

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Application of: Higgins et al.
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Filed: July 20, 2001
For: TEXTILE PRODUCT AND METHOD
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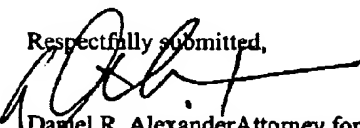
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Respectfully submitted,

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